sidmouth International School

ADULT COURSES **2025**

AVAILABLE ALL YEAR

Easter (12 April – 3 May) & Summer (7 June – 30 August) For students aged 18+ Years

The school will be closed for Public Holidays on: 1 January, 18 & 21 April, 5 & 26 May, 25 August, 25 & 26 December 2025

We provide quality language teaching for all students at all levels.

The courses follow a communicative syllabus which includes a balance of grammar, vocabulary and social English.

Our teaching team will help students to improve their language skills, communicate effectively and gain greater understanding of British culture. Students can start their course on any Monday during the year. All classes take place on weekdays, (Monday to Friday) between 09.00 and 17.15. Beginners (A1) are accepted by special arrangement (please contact the school) and Advanced English classes (C1 - C2) are available. SIS is also a successful teacher training centre. (The adult department is separate from the teenage and young learner departments.)

The seaside town of Sidmouth is an excellent place for students to study and the friendly, welcoming atmosphere of the town means you can experience British life in beautiful surroundings.

GENERAL COURSES



21_{HRS}

GENERAL ENGLISH

(20 lessons) of tuition per week, mornings only (9.00-12.30, Monday to Friday, including 30 min break)

COURSE FEE PER WEEK: (Low season): £371 (Summer): £482

Note: Students enrolled on existing courses can request private 1-2-1 lessons, please enquire in the main office for pricing and availability.

INTENSIVE ENGLISH

(28 lessons) of tuition per week (9.00-12.30, Monday to Friday, including 30 min break) (13.30-15.30, Tuesday, Wednesday and Friday)

COURSE FEE PER WEEK: (Low season): £468 (Summer): £571

Please Note: If no course is available at a suitable level, students may be offered reduced hours of 1-2-1 classes at the original price as follows: General Course: 15 hrs>10 hrs 1-2-1. Intensive course: 21 hrs>15 hrs 1-2-1.

COMBINATION COURSES



GENERAL ENGLISH + 1-2-1 TUITION

As the General English course + 4.5 hours of afternoon classes of one-to-one tuition per week: **19.5 hours** (26 lessons) **COURSE FEE PER WEEK:** (Low season): **£531** (Summer): **£726**



INTENSIVE ENGLISH + 1-2-1 TUITION

As the Intensive English course + 4.5 hours of afternoon classes of one-to-one tuition per week: **25.5 hours** (34 lessons) **COURSE FEE PER WEEK:** (Low season): **£628** (Summer): **£816**

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COURSE FEES INCLUDE:

- First day test to ensure correct class level (6 levels of English)
- Mixed nationality classes of maximum 6 students (9 in summer)
- All tuition materials + end-of-course certificate
- Student handbook
- Free host family accommodation booking service
- Free coach transfer to/from Heathrow Airport, London, every Saturday
- Basic social programme there are costs for excursions
- Student internet access
- Depending on student numbers, we can offer a pronunciation clinic or book club (not available in the summer season)

1-2-1 TUITION (PERSONAL INTENSIVE COURSE)

In English and range of ESP subjects to suit your requirements. COURSE FEE PER WEEK:

(Low season): 15 hours £1,150 21 hours £1,471 30 hours £1,873

(Summer): 15 hours £1,337 21 hours £1,765 30 hours £2,309

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ADULT COURSES 2025

Add registration fee £85 (Low season) and £125 (Summer) and accommodation fee to all course fees.

Registration fee also includes travel insurance for all students under 65 years old (registration fee will be adjusted for all other students).

Policy details and coverage is provided with registration confirmation and available on our website.

ADULT ACCOMMODATION

Our homestay families only take students from SIS, so we can guarantee: no other students of the same nationality and no junior students.

Most homestays are within walking distance of the school (max 25 minutes). Breakfast and evening meals are included, with a light lunch at weekends. Weekday lunches are not included: lunch is easily bought locally (allow a minimum of £5 per day) and can be eaten in the school.

HOMESTAY ACCOMMODATION

SINGLE ROOM: £230 per week

The school can also provide details of suitable hotels, guest houses, self-catering apartments and campsites.

SOCIAL PROGRAMME

There is an adult social programme all year. Some afternoon activities and evening activities are organised for you and are free of charge. Afternoon activities include scenic walks on the Jurassic Coast, tennis, lawn bowls and cream teas in the garden. In the evening, students can enjoy pub nights with other Adult students, movie nights and wine and cheese evenings hosted at the school. There are half day excursions on Thursdays and a full day excursion on Saturdays, visiting places of cultural and historical interest. Students have the opportunity to explore this beautiful part of England with their fellow students. The costs of these excursions are between £5 and £30. For an extra treat, we can also organise visits to the theatre, traditional afternoon tea at one of Sidmouth's seafront hotels or dinner at a quintessential English country pub. Please ask for further details in the main office.

Please note: some activities depend on the weather and/or the number of students. During the low season, the social programme and excursions maybe reduced depending on student numbers. Staff are always available to advise students on interesting things to see and do in the local area.

TRANSFERS

We provide a FREE transfer from London Heathrow Airport every Saturday throughout the year. The bus aims to arrive at the airport at 12.00 and to depart no later than 16.30. Average journey time (including comfort stop) is 3.5 hours approximately.

To use this free transfer:

Arrivals: Flights must arrive at Heathrow before 15.00 Departures: Flights must depart from Heathrow after 13.45.

The bus departure time may vary during low season, please contact the school directly prior to booking flights.

Regular shuttle buses link Heathrow to Gatwick Airport (travel time 80 min approx).

We can arrange car/taxi transfers (up to 4 people) to Sidmouth from anywhere in the UK. Minimum price per car for single journey:

Heathrow £325, Gatwick £341, Bristol £184, Exeter £60.

Please note, prices are approximate only. In the event of delays, waiting time will be charged at £25 per hour.

There are frequent bus (www.nationalexpress.com) and train (www.nationalrail.co.uk) services from London to Exeter and a regular bus service from Exeter to Sidmouth (www.stagecoachbus.com).





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